HOUSE BILL 1149

By Buck

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, relative to environmental protection.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-215-113, is amended by deleting subsection (c) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:
 - (c) The board shall hold at least one (1) regular meeting each calendar year at a place and time to be fixed by the board. The board shall also meet at the request of the commissioner or the chair of the board, or upon a written request of three (3) members of the board. Five (5) members constitute a quorum, and a quorum may act for the board in all matters. The board shall select annually a chair from its members. The department shall provide all necessary staff for the board.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-215-113, is amended by deleting subsection (d) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:
 - (d) Each member of the board, other than the ex officio member, shall be entitled to be paid seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) for each day actually and necessarily employed in the discharge of official duties, and each member shall be entitled to receive the amount of such member's travel and other necessary expenses actually incurred while engaged in the performance of any official duties when so authorized by the board. Such expenses shall be reimbursed in accordance with the comprehensive state travel regulations promulgated by the commissioner of finance and administration and approved by the attorney general and reporter.
 - SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.